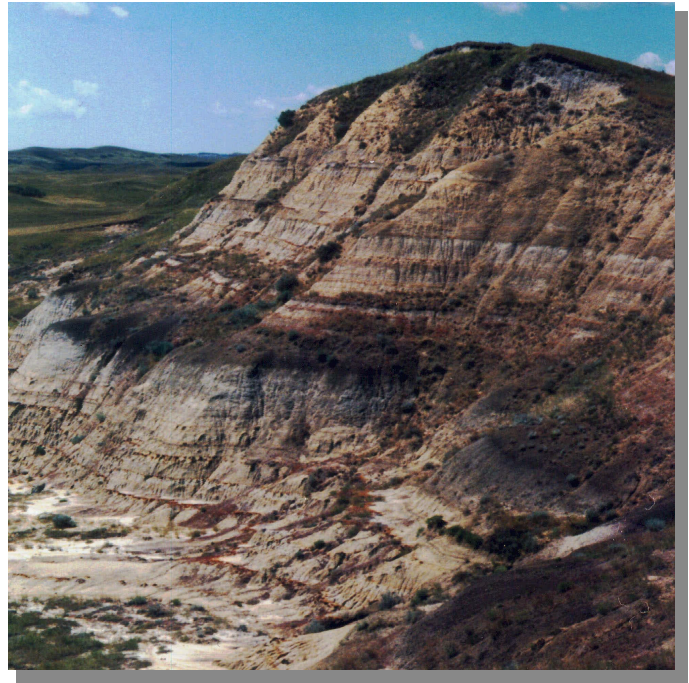


# Montana Land Cover Atlas

## 7600 Badlands

### DOMINANT SPECIES

Blue grama (*Bouteloua gracilis*)  
Clubmoss (*Selaginella densa*)  
Hairy grama (*Bouteloua hirsuta*)  
Hood's Phlox (*Phylox hoodii*)  
Prairie June grass (*Koeleria pyramidata*)  
Greasewood (*Sarcobatus spp.*)  
Rabbitbrush (*Chrysothamnus spp.*)  
Shadscale (*Atriplex canescens*)  
Wyoming Big Sagebrush (*Artemisia tridentata*)



### DESCRIPTION

Badlands where bare soil or rock is the dominant cover with some grass and shrub species present. Regions may have patches of grass or shrubs within them, but total is less than 10%. Regions may have some trees present with total cover less than 10%.

### TOTAL AREA

749,602 hectares

106,929 patches

1.97 % of state

### ELEVATION

358 - 3784 m range

897 m mean

### STATE RANGE

Occurs primarily in central and eastern Montana.

